## House Resolution No. 1218

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives regard the birth of a child as one of life's most rewarding and miraculous events; and

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that this legislative body pauses to acknowledge the arrival of a very special addition to the citizenry of the great state of Missouri: Denise Ann Bybee; and

**Whereas**, on March 8, 2003, at 3:16 p.m., little Denise Ann Bybee was born to proud and loving parents Robert Bybee and Samantha Raps of Santa Fe; and

Whereas, it was on that memorable day that Denise Ann was welcomed into the world by the faces of her smiling parents, who had been anxiously awaiting the birth of their second child; and

**Whereas**, Denise Ann tipped the baby scales at seven pounds, seven and one-half ounces upon her birth at Audrain Medical Center; and

Whereas, Denise Ann has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of her older sibling, Dakota; her grandparents, Danny and Pat Henneberry of Santa Fe, Gary Bybee of Auxvasse, and Lisa and Sam Raps of Mexico; her great-grandparents, Verona Dye of Stoutsville, Lillie Walker of Mississippi, Mary Helm of Chitwood, and Ottie and Shirley Raps and Flossie Bybee, all of Mexico; and her great-grandmother White of Fulton, and great-great-grandmother Parrott of Moberly; and

**Whereas**, Denise Ann will undoubtedly receive a lifetime of love, support, and encouragement from all the devoted members of her family who have welcomed her into their hearts as a precious gift from God:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in welcoming Denise Ann Bybee to her first days of Missouri citizenship, and in expressing our most heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to her proud parents at the beginning of a new life together as a family of four; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Robert Bybee and Samantha Raps of Santa Fe, Missouri.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1218, adopted April 1, 2003.